KADUR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 6th April 1908.

1. It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive privilege of collecting tolls at the undermentioned places in the Kadur District for one year, from the 1st July 1908 to 30th June 1909, will be sold by public auction by the Deputy Commissioner or an Assistant Commissioner deputed by him for the purpose :—

No.	Name of toll-gate	Date of sale	Place of sale
1	Tadasa (Bhadra bridge) ..	18th May 1908 ..	Sub-Taluk Cutcherry at Yedahalli.
2	Hariharpur (Tunga bridge) ...	20th do ...	Taluk Cutcherry at Koppa.
3	Balehonnur (Bhadra bridge) ...	23rd do ...	Travellers' bungalow at Balehonnur.

2. The highest bid, if approved, will be accepted by the Deputy Commissioner subject to the sanction of Government. The Deputy Commissioner reserves to himself the power of refusing or accepting the highest or any bid that may be offered.

3. The highest bidder will be required to deposit at once, in cash or in Government of India Pro-notes duly endorsed in favor of the Deputy Commissioner, one-third of the amount of the bid, plus local cess thereon at one anna in the rupee, and on the confirmation of the sale by Government to pay the remaining amount with local cess thereon in eight equal monthly instalments to the Treasury of the taluk in which the toll-gate is situated on the 10th of every month, commencing from the 10th August 1908, the deposit being appropriated for the 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th instalments. He shall furnish two sureties for the regular payment of the monthly instalments and execute the requisite agreement on stamp paper within three days from the date of intimation of confirmation of the sale. Failure to conform to any of these conditions shall render the deposit liable to forfeiture and the contract liable to re-sale at the risk of the purchaser. Any loss that may accrue to Government will be summarily recovered by the distraint and sale of his or of his sureties' property.

4. Any instalment that may not be paid on or before the prescribed date shall be charged with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum.

5. The contractor shall be required to pay local cess at the rate of one anna in the rupee on the amount of his contract.

6. The arrears due by the contractor or his sureties shall be recovered under the rules in force for the recovery of the arrears of land revenue.

7. The contractor shall keep an account showing the daily collections and it shall be open to inspection by the Deputy Commissioner, Assistant Commissioners, Amildar or Deputy Amildar of the taluk or sub-taluk in which the toll-gate is situated.

8. The contractor will further be bound to levy no tolls other than those enumerated in the schedule annexed and to conform to the rates therein laid down on pain of being prosecuted criminally and forfeiting his contract.

9. The contractor shall levy no tolls for passages of troops or Military stores or equipages or of police and other officers on duty or any property *bona fide* belonging to Government as established by the production of a certificate from the Head of the Department to which it belongs.

10. A table of tolls authorized to be levied shall be legibly written in English and Kannada and put up by the contractor in a conspicuous place near the toll-gate.

11. The contractor shall not collect tolls at any place other than that fixed by Government, *viz.*, at the toll-gate.

12. Further particulars, if any required, can be obtained on application to the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District.

Schedule of rates of tolls authorized to be levied at the toll-gates on Balehonnur, Tadasa and Hariharpur Bridges.

No.	Particulars	Laden	Unladen
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
1	On every four-wheeled carriage	0 8 0	0 8 0
2	Do two-wheeled carriage or cart	0 4 0	0 4 0
3	Do buffalo or bullock	0 0 6	0 0 3
4	Do elephant	1 0 0	1 0 0
5	Do camel	0 8 0	0 8 0
6	Do horse, if laden or ridden	0 1 0	.....
7	Do horse, if unladen or led	.....	0 1 0
8	Do ass, if laden or ridden	0 0 6	.....

Note.—No toll will be levied from foot passengers.

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